

# Now for the Final Spurt ---the Last Rally

to reduce our stock to \$15,000.00, as we had previously pledged ourselves to do. Now, in order to accomplish this object, we are compelled to sacrifice still greater losses on some good suits, so we are going to put on sale SATURDAY MORNING 50 SUITS that sold regularly at \$10.00 to \$25.00 a suit. These we will sell for the day at the following prices, which is JUST ONE-HALF THEIR VALUE:

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### Billy Mudge's Surprise

By OSCAR COX

Billy Mudge was a strapping farmer's boy, ambitious of something more profitable than plowing, sitting all day on a reaper or tossing hay up into the second story of a barn with a pitchfork. Billy was trudging along through a wood one day when he came to a clearing. There was a small house on it, but no one appeared to be at home.

Billy noticed the place before leaving the edge of the wood, and suddenly he saw something else that made him stop short. On the opposite side of the clearing a man emerged from the road and, taking position behind a tree standing alone, surveyed the house intently. Then he moved toward it stealthily, keeping his eye fixed on it, and on reaching it began to examine it for some place of entrance.

From a dream Billy had suddenly entered upon a reality. How much there might be in it for him he didn't consider. Apparently it was nothing more than an opportunity to prevent a thief from committing a depredation. Billy was unarmed and felt it necessary to proceed cautiously. The man he watched, after trying windows and doors, at last found an opening to the cellar, through which he disappeared.

Billy looked about him for a weapon and found a stout cudgel on the ground, which he picked up and clutched with a firm grasp. He had time to think while the man was in the house and realized that the robber doubtless had either a revolver or a knife, perhaps both, and to attack him would be to get worsted. He therefore decided not to enter the house, but wait till the fellow came out, follow him, steal up behind him and fell him with a blow from his club.

In a few minutes the front door was thrown open, and the thief emerged, carrying a long yarn stocking, full as after a visit from Santa Claus on Christmas eve. Billy knew the way that some country persons kept their money and recognized the stocking as the depository of the occupant of the house. He stooped and moved forward, expecting the robber to go the way he had come and intending to follow him. But just as the fellow was about to step down from the porch on to the ground there was a sound of breaking underbrush and a thud of horse's hoofs on turf, and a girl on horseback emerged from the wood into the clearing.

Billy paused and awaited developments. The man dropped the stocking, and the girl, pulling in her horse, rested the rein on his neck, covered her face with both hands and was shaking with convulsive sobbing. The robber, who had been caught in the act, hung his head. It was evidently not merely a case of a common thief being detected by a stranger, but a brother or a lover surprised by his sister or his sweetheart.

There were words—reproaches likely—which Billy could not hear. The girl, calling on the man to follow her, urged her horse from the clearing, the man running on foot. They were out of sight when a posse of armed men broke into the clearing and, hearing the sounds of breaking bushes, ran after them.

emerged from his hiding, went to the house and picked up the stocking lying on the ground. He felt of it and concluded that it was full of bills and coins. Untying a string that held in the contents, he thrust in his hand and drew out a handful of loose pieces of paper and some small stones.

"Well, I'll be goldarned!" he exclaimed. Billy looked at the stocking, then at the house, then turned the stocking upside down and shook out the contents—bits of newspaper and stones—scratched his head and repeated: "I'll be goldarned!"

Going to the door, he tried to open it, but it had evidently been fastened, after the robber had gone out, by a spring lock. Billy tried to get into the house by the cellar door through which the robber had effected an entrance. This door, too, was locked, or, rather, bolted inside, for through a crack he could see the bolt shot.

Turning, he stood looking up at the house with his hands in his pockets, still wondering. "I wish," he said, "I'd known that stockin' didn't have no money in it, 'cause I could 'a' told the fellow that, after all, he hadn't committed no burglary, and the gal wouldn't 'a' tuk on so. But what he was so keefin' fur about lockin' up after he'd tuk or thought he'd tuk all the funds in the house I'd like to know."

Hearing a titter, he looked to his right. There stood a man beside some sort of machine. A titter at his left drew his attention, and he saw the robber and the girl laughing at him.

"See here, you people," he exclaimed. "What does all this goldarned performance mean?" "It means," said the man with the machine, "that we've been making a moving picture play. I've got you in picking up the stocking and trying to get into the house, and it's the best part of the show."

Billy didn't say anything for a few moments while the true conditions were setting through his thick skull. Then the ire began to gather in his eye, and his eye was focused on the apparatus. Suddenly he gave a kick with his foot and lifted the machine in the air.

**Goldsmith's Showy Clothes.**  
Goldsmith was ludicrously fond of showy clothes. When he sought to take orders in Ireland he tried to dazzle his bishop by a pair of scarlet breeches. While studying medicine in Edinburgh he wore "rich sky blue satin," "fine sky blue shalloon" and silver hat lace. Before Johnson, Reynolds and Garrick he strutted about, bragging of his bloom colored coat, and when his reputation had been made by his two principal poems he blazed forth in purple silk small clothes, a scarlet greatcoat and a physician's wig. He carried a gold-headed cane, and a sword hung by his side, a weapon so disproportioned to his diminutive stature that a cormorant who passed him in the Strand called out to his companion to "look at that dy with a long pin stuck through it."

**An Omitted Story.**  
The reminiscences of the late Melton Prior, the English artist war correspondent, do not contain, for obvious reasons, perhaps the best story told of that irrepressible little man. At a dinner given to Mr. Prior the chairman, Sir Evelyn Wood, who was seated next to the guest of the evening, commenced his speech thusly: "Our honored guest, Mr. Prior, has been in twenty-one engagements." Prior, prompting, "Twenty-two, my lord, twenty-two." Sir Evelyn continued, "In twenty-two engagements and has never seen a shot fired."

### CABOT

Program for Preachers' Meeting, to Be Held in M. E. Church Monday.

A preachers' meeting will be held in the M. E. church commencing Monday, June 9, at 1:30 p. m., to which everybody is cordially invited. Dinner will be furnished Monday noon in the church banquet room.

The program is as follows: 1:30—Devotions, Rev. R. H. Moore; address on Sunday school, Rev. I. C. Ranney; sermon, Rev. R. N. Jocelyn; address, "Needs of Vermont as Seen by a Layman," W. B. Lance.

Monday evening, 6:00—Supper at the church; toastmaster, Rev. F. B. Blodgett; responses; devotions, Rev. F. H. Roberts; "How To Make Missions Attractive" (stereopticon lecture), Rev. Peter Black.

Tuesday morning, 8:45—Devotions, Rev. D. G. Porteous; five-minute messages; Some recent word on temperance, Rev. H. A. Howard and Rev. J. Q. Angell; Sunday school, Rev. F. E. Currier and Rev. G. W. Douglass; benevolences, Rev. F. W. Lewis and Rev. O. L. Barnard; sex education, Rev. John Jones and Rev. W. E. Allen; missions, Rev. Peter Black and Rev. I. P. Chase; general deaconess board, Rev. R. F. Lowe; address, Rev. John W. Hatch, D. D., principal of Montpelier seminary; business; the pastor's opportunity, Prof. J. M. Tebbetts; dinner; adjournment.

E. A. Merritt was in Barre Wednesday and took home a Studebaker auto.

Mrs. J. G. Paige has gone to Chelsea, Mass., for an indefinite stay.

There was a large congregation at union Memorial services at the Congregational church, conducted by Rev. B. C. Atwood, assisted by Rev. I. A. Ranney.

A good number from the post and corps marched from the hall to the church, preceded by two girls carrying baskets of flowers, from which they presented each soldier and the clergy a bouquet.

Frank Kenerson has sold his land between the villages to W. J. Clarke.

W. J. Clarke has sold his farm to L. S. Houghton.

In the forenoon of Memorial day a delegation from the post and corps proceeded to the cemetery and decorated the graves of their comrades, after which the post, corps, school children and citizens marched to the common and around a mound for the "Unknown" near the soldiers' monument, held short exercises. A recitation by Olive Smith was well rendered, after which they returned to the hall, where dinner was served by the W. R. C. to about 100 people. At 2 p. m. a march to the town hall, where a short program was carried out by the children, with music by the orchestra; declaration by Lavern Bushnell, Lincoln's Gettysburg address, and a recitation by Hazel Abbott, "Under the Blue and the Gray." Commander S. B. Blodgett then introduced J. Ward Carver of Barre, who was greeted with applause. The address, which was patriotic and inspiring, was listened to by an attentive and appreciative audience. A flag drill by the girls of the grammar and primary schools was well carried out and well deserving of much credit to teachers and pupils. The exercises of the day closed by singing the old favorite song, "America."

Mrs. Viola Harvey has rented rooms in Nat Keith's house at Lower Cabot and moved her household goods there from the tenement in A. A. Hopkins' house.

Will Stone is caring for Albert Lebaron, who has been somewhat deranged since Sunday night. The latter has had trouble with the back of his head and neck, and it is thought it must have gone to the brain. Monday he took a cold bath in the river but rescued himself without aid. He will be taken somewhere for treatment as soon as necessary arrangements can be made.

Prin. Bushnell closed the high school Wednesday and has returned to Stratford.

Rev. F. E. Currier of Danville was in town Wednesday to officiate at the funeral of Asa Mack.

L. W. Farrington of Chelsea was in town the first of the week.

"Singback the Sailor," will be given by the Village Improvement society some time this month, the date will be announced later.

### GRANITEVILLE

Mrs. Roland Sturgeon and little daughter, Marion, of Detroit, Mich., are guests of Mrs. J. H. Sutor this week.

Mrs. Sturgeon will visit relatives in different parts of Vermont until September.

Mrs. W. H. Miles, who has been in Montpelier for several days, returned yesterday.

Allen Smith is preparing for an extended trip through the Canadian Northwest. He will be absent several months, during which time Mrs. Smith will stay at her former home in Washington.

It may interest many to know that St. Mary's academy in Burlington is no longer under quarantine for smallpox. Misses Kathleen Letourneau and Margaret Murphy, who are attending school there, are expected home in a few weeks. At that time Miss Letourneau will have finished her course in that institution.

Mr. and Mrs. Stacy B. Irish of Galesburg, Ill., have arrived in St. Albans, where they will remain during the summer with the latter's parents. Three years ago Mr. and Mrs. Irish were prominent teachers in Barre town, Mrs. Irish formerly being Miss Bernice O'Brien. During the past year, Mr. Irish has been located in the high school at Galesburg.

Harry Clark, who has been confined to his home by a severe attack of rheumatism, is able to be out of doors and will resume his duties on the Boutwell, Milne & Varnum quarry within a few days.

All members of Granite Mountain lodge, No. 7897, I. O. O. F., M. U., are requested to meet in Miles hall Sunday, June 8, at 10 o'clock, to march to the church. Don't forget your aprons and gloves. Per order N. G.

### June the Month for Weddings

- See our gold band rings.
- Diamond and other precious stone engagement rings.
- Articles suitable for gifts in fine silver, cut glass and silver deposit ware.
- Our assortment of pure silver table ware is larger than ever.

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114 North Main St.

### BETHEL

Cornelius Cutler, Next to Oldest Man in Town, Died Thursday.

Cornelius Cutler, for many years a resident of this town, died Thursday towards evening after a long illness with pneumonia, aged 93 years and 8 months. His vigorous constitution had stood the test of many attacks of illness, and he withstood his fatal illness much longer than pneumonia is often resisted. He was with one exception, the oldest man in town and with two exceptions, the oldest person. He was a carpenter and spent most of his life in this town and Stockbridge. He is survived by a son, Charles S. Cutler, and by a daughter, Mrs. George Smith. There are many grandchildren and great-grandchildren. A granddaughter, Mrs. M. M. Gordon of Jerome, Arizona, has been summoned and she will assist in making funeral arrangements.

A meeting of White River Valley Po-mona grange was held here Thursday with representations from subordinate granges at Pittsfield, Rochester, Gayville and Barnard. The local grange furnished dinner and supper for their guests. Archibald C. Hurd of White River Junction, county Y. M. C. A. secretary, was one of the speakers at the open session.

Practically the whole force of 75 men are now working ten hours a day at the Woodbury Granite company's quarry here, hurrying the contract for the Washington postoffice. Nearly the whole force worked Memorial day at double pay, according to the bill of prices. For extra time above eight hours the bill requires 25 per cent. extra pay.

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